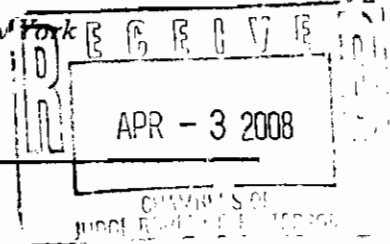


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Re: United States v. Maurice McDowall, et al.
07 Cr. 1054 (RPP)

Dear Judge Patterson:

The Court had previously set a hearing date for Friday, April 4, 2008 at 9:30am for any oral argument on pre-trial motions in the above-captioned matter. In view of the fact that none of the defendants have pending motions, the Government respectfully suggests that tomorrow's hearing date be adjourned, and a pretrial conference for all parties be scheduled. After consultation with Your Honor's deputy, the Government requests that the conference be scheduled for Tuesday, April 8, 2008 at 3:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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